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Application of: Lassner et al.)
Serial No.: 09/549,848) Group Art Unit: 1638
Filed: 14 April 2000) Examiner: C. Collins
Title: Nucleic Acid Sequences to Proteins Involved)
in Isoprenoid Synthesis)
Atty Docket No.: REN1-00-052-2)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington DC 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed for the above-referenced application the following:

- 1) Revocation of Previous Powers of Attorney and Appointment of New Power AND Change of Correspondence Address (includes copy of Assignment filed on December 4, 2002);
- 2) Request for Change of Docket Number; and
- 3) a Return Postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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Old Docket: 16516.105 New Docket: REN1-00-052-2

Request for Change of Docket Number

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Dear Sir:

For the above referenced case, please change the Attorney Docket Number from
16516.105 to REN1-00-052-2.

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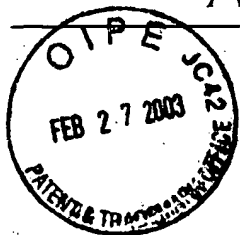
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Re: U.S. Application No. 09/549,848
Filed: April 14, 2000
Title: Nucleic Acid Sequences to Proteins Involved in
Tocopherol Synthesis
Applicants: LASSNER *et al.*
Atty. Docket: 16516.105

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO):

1. a Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
2. an original Confirmatory Assignment executed by Michael W. Lassner (7 pages);
3. an original Confirmatory Assignment executed by Beth Savidge (7 pages);
4. an original Confirmatory Assignment executed by Timothy A. Mitsky (7 pages);
5. an original Confirmatory Assignment executed by James D. Weiss (7 pages);
6. an original Confirmatory Assignment executed by Martha Ann Post-Beittenmiller (7 pages); and
7. a return postcard.

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Applicants request that the following fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing docket number 16516.105:

\$ 40.00 assignment recordation fee

In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby

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petitioned. Applicants do not believe any fees, other than the assignment recordation fee (\$40), are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17 are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing matter number 16516.105. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures